

WILSON MAKES KNOW FOOD REGULATIONS

The New Licensing Law Will
Take Effect at
Once.

Complete and definite regulations for governing the handling of foods have been promulgated by the President, to take effect at once, in connection with the licensing of importers, manufacturers, wholesalers, canners, packers and large retailers.

The announcement states that the principal objects of the rules are as follows:

1.—To limit the prices charged by every licensee to a reasonable amount over expenses, and forbid the acquisition of speculative profits from a rising market.

2.—To keep all food commodities moving to the consumer in as direct a line and with as little delay as practicable.

"Under the Food Control Act, in addition to the power to promulgate rules, the President is given broad powers to deal with individual cases. This power will be freely exercised to accomplish the three purposes set out above. If every licensee will make those purposes the cardinal principles of his business, and obey the law and the regulations, he will be free from interference by the government. Violation is cause for revoking any license, as well as subjecting the offender to such criminal penalties as may be prescribed."

Cannot Store Foods.

There are a large number of general rules governing all licensees, together with additional special regulations for various trades in which there are special conditions, or specific abuses to be overcome.

The elimination of excessive prices charged by small retailers who are not subject to license will be helped by a rule forbidding licensees to sell foods to any person who is violating section of the food control act, or taking excessive profits or speculation.

An important rule provides that no licensee shall "import," manufacture, store, distribute, sell or otherwise handle any food commodities on an unjust, exorbitant, unreasonable, discriminatory or unfair commission, profit or storage charge."

With respect to a large group of commodities, particularly non-perishables, the regulations require that profits shall be no greater than a reasonable advance over the actual purchase price of the particular goods sold, without regard to the market or replacement value.

Resale within the trade without reasonable justification, especially if tending to result in higher market prices, will be dealt with as unfair practice.

Must Be Marked.

Handling foods in such ways as to monopolize or restrict the supply is guarded against.

Special rules require that foods which have been held in cold storage for more than thirty days shall be marked "Cold Storage Goods" when offered for sale; prohibit speculation in futures on canned goods; forbid the shipment of potatoes which have been seriously damaged; protect the producer who ships his products to markets on consignment against unfair charges by commission men, brokers and auctioneers, and cover many other special points.

Licensees are required to keep records, to make regular reports upon forms that will be furnished by the Food Administration, giving complete information regarding transactions in the controlled foods, and to permit representatives of the Food Administration to inspect their property or records. Information obtained in this way is to be carefully safeguarded and confidential by the Food Administration.

RIFLE CLUB MEMBERS GET PRIZE MEDALS

"Class B" medals, awarded by the National Rifle Association to the five members of the Washington Rifle Club, constituting its 1917 indoor small-bore rifle team, were distributed yesterday to the winners. The five high men composing the team are P. C. Reynolds, J. H. Robertson, W. C. Robertson, O. M. Schriver and John J. Andrews.

Both Schriver and Andrews are gunnery sergeants in the U. S. Marine Corps. Sergeant Schriver is in charge of the indoor range under Polk's Theater, and instructor for the Home Defense League Rifles at that place, while Sgt. Andrews was coach last year at Jacksonville, Fla., for the Washington Rifle Club.

At the annual shoot of the National Rifle Association. He was high man on this occasion and winner of the Wildcat cup.

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Widow of Gen. Merritt Helps Recreation Fund

Gift of \$10,000 to Provide Amusement for Men at Camp Merritt, Named in Honor of Husband.

A \$10,000 gift in memory of her husband, one of the "boy generals" of the civil war, has been given by Mrs. Wesley Merritt to the War Camp Community Recreation fund committee of Washington.

This is the first donation recorded by the Washington committee and marks the opening of a campaign to raise \$50,000, in the nation's capital as part of the \$1,000,000 fund being raised throughout the country for the amusement and recreation of soldiers while on leave.

The money given by Mrs. Merritt will be for the maintenance of a club house for enlisted men at Camp Merritt which was named in honor of her husband. The site for the club house will be located outside the camp and will be conducted by the enlisted men themselves. Dr. Cyrus F. Stimson, representing the War Department, is in command of Camp Merritt. It will be located outside the camp and will be conducted by the enlisted men themselves.

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At the outbreak of the Spanish

war in 1898 he was appointed military governor of the Philippine Islands and commanded the Eighth Army Corps which was sent there. With Admiral Dewey he received the surrender of Manila on August 12. Later in that year he was ordered to Paris to attend the conference which arranged the terms of the treaty of peace with Spain.

Gen. Merritt was retired from active service in June, 1900, and died December 2, 1910.

FRENCHMAN GIVES YIDDISH BIBLE

Young Men's Hebrew Club Presented with Trench Souvenir.

A prayerbook in Yiddish, direct from the trenches in France, is the treasured souvenir presented to the Young Men's Hebrew Association by Sgt. George Edinger, member of the French Military Mission.

Decorated with the military cross of honor for distinguished services at the front, this young man says he has a double duty to accomplish in seeking to drive the Boches off French soil.

At the beginning of the war, when the Germans overran Alsace-Lorraine, and the northern provinces of France, they took Sgt. Edinger's sweetest son, a French Engineer Corps, accompanied Sgt. Edinger, as guests of the association.

The young man left last night, after a week's stay at Fort Meyer and Washington, for Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

NEW APPLICATIONS FOR DEFENSE LEAGUE

Ninth Precinct Holds Interesting Meeting to Boost League.

The Ninth precinct, Home Defense League, met at Masonic Temple, Eighth and F streets northwest, with a large attendance. At a business meeting, prior to the regular drill, some very enthusiastic patriotic speeches were made. The various chairmen of the subcommittees of the league which will be given Thanksgiving eve for the benefit of the uniform rank, made very flattering reports. W. R. Love, chairman of the entertainment committee, has prepared a very high class program to precede the dance. A Reed, chairman of the printing committee, reported the preparation of an elaborate program.

WAR CHORUS WILL SERENADE CITIZENS

Plans Being Formulated to Increase Membership.

Washington will soon find herself serenaded by more than 100 strong male voices of the war chorus. Plans formed last night at a meeting of singers of government departments in the auditorium of the Interior Building, Eighteenth and F streets northwest, materialized.

Otto P. Simon presided. He has been organizing a chorus of male voices for war work. Singing at the training camps around the city and at the future liberty loan celebrations were made the objects of organization.

Through a misunderstanding in the meeting place, only fifty members presented themselves. More than one hundred are expected to be on hand at the next meeting in the auditorium next Saturday night.

Modern Structure To Go Up On G Street

The National Rifles building is about to be torn down and in its place a handsome, modern ten-story building is to be constructed.

A whole of the first floor will be occupied by Tenille, the clothier. Mr. Tenille is to be located at 910 G street, until his new home is completed, which will be about next July.

300 RESIDENTS OPEN DOOR IN REPLY TO CALL

Submit List of Rooms to the
Chamber of Commerce
Bureau.

More than 300 Washington residents with rooms to rent and willing to board incoming emergency war workers have submitted their names to Thomas Grant, secretary of the District Chamber of Commerce, and director of the newly organized room and board registration bureau of the trade body. The bureau was organized three days ago, and hundreds of offers of rooms and board for those working in the government departments have been received in response to a request by the director.

Strangers in the city other than government employees who need rooms and board are also beginning to apply to the Chamber of Commerce on the second floor of 611 Twelfth street.

Secretary of War Baker in a statement yesterday declared that the influx would reach a high level within the next few weeks.

"Thousands of new employees will arrive in Washington and they must be taken care of in Washington homes," he asserted.

The Chamber of Commerce bureau expects to have a list of desirable homes and ready for the newcomers when they arrive. These lists will be distributed with the heads of departments and also at the hotels. Only the most reliable places will be recommended.

The housing problem has been discussed for the last few months by the Women's Federated Council on Employment, co-operating with the Women's and Girls' Division of the Department of Labor. Every angle pertaining to placing girls in safe and respectable homes has been surveyed. The Department of Labor, in a recent announcement, showed that within two months nearly 1,000 girls had been put to work through the division. In a large measure these girls were from other cities and the safeguarding of their health and welfare has become one of the largest problems taken up by the council.

The Y. W. C. A. has placed several hundred girls in respectable homes. The association continues to be flooded with requests for housing facilities.

The Chamber of Commerce Registration Bureau will handle the problem of rooming newcomers irrespective of the sex or religion.

LECTURE FOR NAVY MEN.

An illustrated address on the manufacture of steel wire and steel rope used by the United States government will be given Wednesday evening in the auditorium of the new Interior Building, under the auspices of the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Department. K. G. Sundeland, chief engineer of the John A. Roebling's Sons Company, Trenton, N. J., will deliver the address.

Admiral McGowan, paymaster general of the navy, has extended an invitation to all government employees to attend.

THE VOICE OF JOHN THE BAPTIST AGAIN HEARD

REPENT YE, FOR THE KINGDOM OF
HEAVEN IS AT HAND

By DR. JAMES E. TALMAGE.

Of the Council of the Twelve, Church of Jesus Christ, of Latter-day Saints; Salt Lake City, Utah.

WE BELIEVE THAT THROUGH THE AGONIZING OF CHRIST ALL MANKIND MAY BE SAVED BY OBEDIENCE TO THE LAWS AND ORDINANCES OF THE GOSPEL.

WE BELIEVE THAT THE FIRST PRINCIPLES AND ORDINANCES OF THE GOSPEL ARE: (1) FAITH IN THE LORD JESUS CHRIST; (2) REPENTANCE; (3) BAPTISM BY IMMERSION FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS; (4) LAYING ON OF HANDS FOR THE GIFT OF THE HOLY GHOST. (Articles of Faith 3 and 4.)

The personal ministry of Jesus Christ in the flesh was directly heralded by the preaching of John the Baptist, whose voice was that of one crying in the wilderness: "REPENT YE, FOR THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS AT HAND." The proclamation of the appointed herald was directed by the appearance of the Lord Himself, who came and opened the way of the Kingdom of God to all who would enter therein.

In these modern days that same John, now a resurrected personage, has again appeared on earth. In him was vested of old the authority of the Priesthood of Aaron. On the first of May, when he appeared, he declared himself to be John known as the Baptist, appeared in light and glory, and laying his hands upon the heads of the modern prophet Joseph Smith and a companion in the ministry conferred upon them the Aaronic Priesthood, saying:

"UPON YOU MY FELLOW SERVANTS, IN THE NAME OF MESSIAH, I CONFER THE PRIESTHOOD OF AARON, WHICH HOLDS THE KEYS OF THE MINISTRIES OF ANGELS, AND OF THE GOSPEL OF REPENTANCE, AND OF BAPTISM BY IMMERSION FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS" (Doctrine and Covenants, Sec. 13).

Thus was fulfilled in part the vision prophesied of the ancient Revelator, that in the last days an angel would come, "having the everlasting Gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth." (See Rev. 14: 6, 7.)

Repentance, which stands eternally established as an indispensable condition of salvation, is today proclaimed anew under the authority of the restored Priesthood, and the call is to every nation, kindred, tongue, and people. The second advent of Christ is near, and but little time remains to prepare for His coming, which shall be in power and great glory, to the accompaniment of the resurrection of the righteous dead, the glorification of the worthy who are still in the flesh, and the dejection of the wicked and hopelessly wicked.

Repentance, as the ordained requirement whereby remission of sins may be attained, consists essentially in a genuine sorrow for sin and comprises: (1) a personal conviction of guilt; (2) an earnest desire to secure forgiveness; and (3) a resolute determination to forsake sin and follow the path of righteous living. The first step in the course of effective repentance consists in the acknowledgment or confession of sin before God; the second in the sinner forgiving those who have sinned against him; and the third in his acceptance of Christ's atoning sacrifice as shown by a willingness to obey the further requirements embodied in the Gospel of salvation.

Without sincere confession of sin repentance is impossible. The Apostle Paul declared the solemn truth: "If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (1 John 1: 8, 9.) Many centuries earlier was written: "He that covereth his sins shall not prosper; but whoso confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy." (Prov., 28:13.)

In this modern age the voice of the Lord Jesus Christ has been heard. He said: "Verily I say unto you, I, the Lord, forgive sins unto those who confess their sins before me and ask forgiveness, who have not sinned unto death." And further: "If ye know how to forgive a man, ye shall be forgiven." (Doctrine and Covenants, 64:7, and 84:15.)

The sinner must be willing to grant forgiveness to others if he would secure that boon to himself. In teaching us how to pray, the Lord specified the condition on which forgiveness may be granted: "For ye must forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors." No debtors? No forgiveness is justified if in our hearts we are unforgiving. "For," said the Christ, "if ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you; but if ye forgive not their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses." (Matt. 6:14, 15.)

Through the revelations to the restored Church in the current age, the Lord has emphasized this essential element of repentance: "Wherefore I say unto you, that ye ought to forgive one another, for he that forgiveth not his brother his trespasses, standeth condemned before the Lord; for he remaineth in him the greater sin. I, the Lord, will forgive him, but of you it is required to forgive all men." (Doctrine and Covenants 61:3-10.)

Contrite repentance will naturally lead the penitent to do all he can to make amends for past offenses, and to comply with the condition on which forgiveness is predicated. And as he learns that baptism at the hands of one invested with Divine authority is essential, he will seek such a servant of God, and humbly submit himself to the ordinance whereby citizenship in the Kingdom of God may be established.

The Savior followed the ringing call of His forerunner with the command: "Repent ye and believe the Gospel." (Mark 1:15.) So also taught the Apostles of old, that God "commandeth all men everywhere to repent." (Acts 17:30.) And in the present dispensation the word of God has come through the prophet, Joseph Smith: "And we know that all men must repent and believe on the name of Jesus Christ, and be baptized, and endure in His name, and endure in faith on His name to the end, or they cannot be saved in the Kingdom of God." (Doctrine and Covenants 20:29.)

Against the awful danger of procrastination, whereby the ability to repent may be forfeited, the Book of Mormon solemnly warns: "For behold, this life is the time for men to prepare to meet God; ye behold the day of the Lord's coming, and ye must perform their labors." For behold, if ye have procrastinated the day of your repentance, even until death, behold, ye have despised the day of the Lord, and ye shall be cast off the Lord, and shall be left to wander in the spirit of the devil, and he doth seal you his; therefore, the Spirit of the Lord hath withdrawn from you, and hath no place in you; and the devil hath all power over you." (Alma, 34:32-35.)

For the Book of Mormon, Doctrine and Covenants, Articles of Faith, and other literature of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, much of which is supplied without cost, apply to the missions of the church, among which are: Eastern States Mission, 1140 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Southern States Mission, 71 Fairview avenue, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Northern States Mission, 255 North Sawyer avenue, Chicago, Ill.; Central States Mission, 302 South Pleasant street, Independence, Mo.; Western States Mission, 22 West Sixth avenue, Denver, Colo.; Northwestern States Mission, 310 East Madison street, Portland, Oreg.; California Mission, 153 West Adams street, Los Angeles, Cal.; Bureau of Information, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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